

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

GOTO, Kiyoshi et al. : Confirmation No.: 5364

Serial No.: 10/565,039

Filing Date: January 18, 2006

For: **Composition Containing Ground
Lotus and/or Lotus Extract and
Lactic Acid Bacterium**

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 18, 2006

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements for the above-identified application dated July 12, 2006, a copy of which is enclosed herewith, applicant submits herewith an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The surcharge fee of \$130.00 for late submission of the Declaration and Power of Attorney is submitted herewith. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 232820.

Respectfully submitted,



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